

PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

Hirofumi BANDO et al.

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For: CEMENT DISPERSANT AND CONCRETE COMPOSITION CONTAINING THE
DISPERSANT

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 3.73(b)**

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